



Docket No.: GTSYS.003C1

June 26, 2006

Page 1 of 1

Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number 20995

ITW GP1637

### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant : Liang, et al.  
App. No : 09/919,758  
Filed : July 31, 2001  
For : METHOD FOR GENERATING  
TRANSCRIPTIONALLY ACTIVE  
DNA FRAGMENTS  
Examiner : STRZELECKA, TERESA E  
Art Unit : 1637

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all marked attachments are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

June 26, 2006

(Date)

Marc T. Morley, Reg. No. 52,051

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a TWO MONTH extension of time in responding to the Office Communication dated January 24, 2006. This request is being made solely to maintain co-pendency for the filing of a continuation application being filed on even date herewith.

- A check in the amount of \$225 for requested TWO-MONTH extension is enclosed.
- Return prepaid postcard is enclosed.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time necessary to maintain the co-pendency of the above-listed application, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSN & BEAR LLP 225.00 op

Marc T. Morley  
Registration No. 52,051  
Agent of Record  
Customer No. 20,995  
(619) 235-8550

Dated: June 26, 2006